



DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY

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Case No. 016199/1110

I have signed this document to declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter claimed in the enclosed patent application, which is entitled:

TRANSITION METAL CATALYSTS CONTAINING BIDENTATE LIGANDS AND METHOD OF USING AND PREPARING SAME

The specification

(check one) is attached.
 was filed on June 10, 1997 as Appl. Ser. No. 08/872,659, and was amended on _____.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of this specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge my duty to disclose information that I know is material to the patentability of the subject matter claimed in this patent application as Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a) requires.

I claim priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below. I also identify below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

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08/423,232 4/17/95 Patented as U.S. Pat. No. 5,637,660
(Appln. S.N.) (Filing Date) (Status-patented, pending, aband.)

As to the subject matter of this application which is not common to said earlier application, I do not know and do not believe that the same was ever known or used before my invention thereof or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof or more than one year prior to the date of this application, or in public use or on sale in the United States more than one year prior to the date of this application, and that said subject matter has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued in any country foreign to the United States on an application filed by me or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to the date of this application; and that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on said invention has been filed by me or my representatives or assigns in any country foreign to the United States except as follows: NONE.

I appoint D. M. Kozak, J. L. Schuchardt, W.G. Conger having Registration Numbers 28,318, 34,428, 31,209 respectively, my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected with the application.

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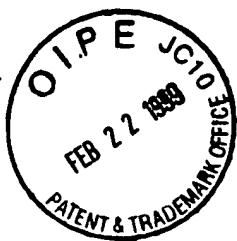
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